

1 affected the development of this particular product  
2 line?

3 A. Yes. Yes, there was.

4 Q.. All right.

5 Would you just tell the jury a little about  
6 that?

7 A. Yes. I mentioned earlier that when the original  
8 license with Becton Dickinson was signed, it was signed by  
9 the Fenwall Division. And I mentioned the role of Fenwall  
10 Division in transfusion medicine.

11 That's a pretty vast array of issues to deal  
12 with in supporting blood centers on a worldwide basis.  
13 And to be straight, the projects, such as -- as the  
14 utilization of the Curt Civin technology were kind of  
15 falling down on the priority scale. I think we all know  
16 that in big companies, that there are lots of priorities.  
17 And big divisions, which Fenwall is a big division, there  
18 are lots of priorities.

19 So we determined to put a focus on this plus  
20 some other immunology-based technologies and create the  
21 Immuno Therapy Division, to give them more focus and  
22 more emphasis.

23 Q. Did that decision lead to additional resources  
24 being invested over time in this project?

25 A. Yes, there were. There were additional resources

1 added.

2 Q. Now, after Dr. Civin made his report that he had  
3 actually used a device to get -- had gotten the right  
4 fish, gotten the right cells using that prototype device,  
5 did Baxter ask Dr. Civin whether he could try the device  
6 for some actual transplants?

7 A. Yes.

8 Q. Let me ask you this: Were such transplants  
9 carried out?

10 A. Yes, they were.

11 Q. Okay.

12 And approximately when were they carried  
13 out?

14 A. It was second half of, 1992.

15 Q. Were those sort of official Baxter sponsored  
16 trials?

17 A. No, no. That was under a trial sponsored by Dr.  
18 Civin himself.

19 Q. Did Baxter continue engineering work on its device  
20 during this latter half of 1992 and continuing into  
21 1993?

22 A. Yes.

23 Q. And at some point in time, did Baxter start working  
24 on actually two different devices that used Dr. Civin's  
25 technology?